UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

RELATED CASE ORDER

A Motion for Administrative Relief to Consider Whether Cases Should be Related or a *Sua Sponte* Judicial Referral for Purpose of Determining Relationship (Civil L.R. 3-12) has been filed. The time for filing an opposition or statement of support has passed. As the judge assigned to the earliest filed case below that bears my initials, I find that the more recently filed case(s) that I have initialed below are related to the case assigned to me, and such case(s) shall be reassigned to me. Any cases listed below that are not related to the case assigned to me are referred to the judge assigned to the next-earliest filed case for a related case determination.

C 09-00670 JW Ross et al v. Trex Company, Inc.

C 09-01878 WHA Okano v. Trex Company Inc

I find that the above case is related to the case assigned to me. ___JW____

ORDER

Counsel are instructed that all future filings in any reassigned case are to bear the initials of the newly assigned judge immediately after the case number. Any case management conference in any reassigned case will be rescheduled by the Court. The parties shall adjust the dates for the conference, disclosures and report required by FRCivP 16 and 26 accordingly. Unless otherwise ordered, any dates for hearing noticed motions are vacated and must be renoticed by the moving party before the newly assigned judge; any deadlines set by the ADR Local Rules remain in effect; and any deadlines established in a case management order continue to govern, except dates for appearance in court, which will be rescheduled by the newly assigned judge.

Dated:_May 26, 2009______Judge James Ware

CLERK'S NOTICE

As to C 09-0670 JW: The Motion to Relate Cases (Docket Item No. 19) is terminated. The Stipulation to Relate (Docket Item No. 20) is found as MOOT. The Case Management Conference remains on calendar as previously set for July 6, 2009 at 10:00 AM before Judge James Ware. The parties are to file a joint case management conference statement in their respective case docket by June 26, 2009.

<u>As to C 09-01878 WHA</u>: The Case Management Conference is reset to July 6, 2009 at 10:00 AM before Judge James Ware. The parties are to file a joint case management conference statement in their respective case docket by June 26, 2009.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on the date stated below, I lodged a copy of this order with each judicial officer and I mailed a copy to each counsel of record or *pro se* party in the cases listed above.

DATED: _____May 26, 2009 _____ By: _____ By: _____ Deputy Clerk

Copies to: Courtroom Deputies
Case Systems Administrators
Counsel of Record
Entered into Assignment Program: ______(date)